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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of

Thomas P. NOLAN

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For: LAMINATED PERPENDICULAR MAGNETIC RECORDING MEDIA WITH UNCORRELATED GRAINS

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Dear Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

No additional fee is required.

Applicant is entitled to small entity status under 37 CFR 1.27

Also attached: One (1) Replacement Drawing Sheet (Fig. 1)

The fee has been calculated as shown below:

	NO. OF CLAIMS	HIGHEST PREVIOUSLY PAID FOR	EXTRA CLAIMS	RATE	FEE
Total Claims	25	25	0	\$50.00 =	\$0.00
Independent Claims	2	3	0	\$200.00 =	\$0.00
		Multiple dependent claims newly presented Fee for extension of time			\$0.00
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					\$0.00
		Total of Above Calculations			\$0.00

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The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 500417, including any filing fees under 37 CFR 1.16 for presentation of extra claims and any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

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